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 Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office (a) ☐ A reply was received on (with a Certificate of M period for reply (including a total extension of time of) 	failing or Transmission dated month(s)) which expired on	<u> </u>
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 The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claim 		e the period for seeking court review
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A telephone call was made to Peter Zura on 7/18/06	wherein it was determined that t	he application is abandoned.
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